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# MINNE50TA TWIN5 [50-65] vs. TAMPA BAY RAY5 [70-45] 

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 2021 - 7:10 P.M. (CT) - TV: BALLY SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF
GAME 116
RHP Michael Pineda (4-7, 3.83) vs. LHP Shane McClanahan (6-4, 3.75)
HOME GAME 58


## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

## 8/10 RHP Burrows optioned to AAA

RHP Vincent contract selected from AAA 0F/1B Kirilloff transferred to 60-day IL
8/9 RHP Alcala placed on 10-day IL RHP García recalled from AAA
8/5 OF Refsnyder returned from rehab assignment and reinstated from 10-day II IF/OF Gordon optioned to AAA
8/4 RHP Garza Jr. claimed off waivers from HOU
7/31 IF/0F Arraez reinstated from 10-day IL OF Celestino optioned to AAA

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THE TWINS: The Twins have gone 2-1 through three games on their season-long nine-game homestand, taking a three-game series against the White Sox earlier this week...tonight the Twins will welcome back Nelson Cruz and the Rays for three games over the weekend...after
this series, they will play three against the Indians from Monday-Wednesday...the Twins have this series, they will pay three against the Indians from M
gone 26-31 at home this season and 24-34 on the road.
PITCHING AND POLO: The Twins beat the White Sox on Wednesday afternoon by a score of 1-0, their first 1-0 victory since April 29, 2019 vs. Houston (Odorizzi over Verlander)...it also marked their fourth shutout of an opponent this season.... Bailey 1 ber was the starter but did not factor into the decision, pitching 5.1 shutout innings with six hits allowed, one walk and Six strikeouts...Caleb Thielbar (1.11P) Juan Minaya (1.1P) and Alex colome (1.0 P) combined the offense, going 2 -for-4 with a sixth-inning game-winning home run.

TWINS-RAYS: The Twins and Rays are playing for the first time since June 27, 2019...in 2019 they went 5-2 against Tampa with a record of 3 -1 at Tropicana Field and 2-1 at Target Field... score of 5-2 ( 5 hours, 42 minutes)...they will visit the Trop for three from September 3-5...the swins have won eight of their last 11 over the Ravs dating back to July of 2012
$\Phi$ Rocco Baldelli spent parts of si i xears with the Tampa Bay Rays as a a player and splitting
eight seasons betwen their front office and coaching staff...Baldelli was drafted sixth overall by the Rays in the 2000 First-Year Player Dratt and played parts of six seasons with the Rays, hitting . 280 ( 493 -for-1760) with 95 doubles, , 17 triples, 53 home runs,
239 RBI, 258 runs scored and 59 stolen bases in 457 games ranks on Tampa Bay's all-time list: ninth in triples, 10 th in stolen bases, 11th in RBII, 13th in hits, doubles and runs, 16 th in home runs and 17th in games.
WELCOME BACK, BOOMSTICK: Nelson Cruz played nearly three full seasons with Minnesota from 2019 until getting traded on July 22 to Tampa Bay in exchange for right-handed pitchers Joe Ryan and Drew Strotman...during his time in Minnesota, Nellie hit 304 (284-for-935)
with 45 doubles, 76 home runs, 191 kBl and a 984 OPS in 258 games...below is a look back at Nellie's accomplishments during his time with the Twins:
$\Phi$ He began his Twins career with 76 home runs, tied for 84 th on baseball's all-time home run list at the time and finished in 46th place, passing 38 players in that time...a list that includes 13 Hall-of-Famers.
$\mp$ Named AL Silver Slugger Award winner in both 2019 and 2020, and an AL All-Star in 2021 $\Phi$ Named Star Tribune's 2019 Sportsperson of the Year.
$\Phi$ Given 2020 Muhammad Ali Sports Humanitarian Award at ESPY Awards.
$\Phi$ Given Marvin Miller Man of the Year Award as part of 2020 Players Choice Awards. \& Won 2019 Edgar Martinez Designated Hitter of the Year Award.
$\Phi$ Given Most Valuable Twin Award in 2019 and '20...Bob Allison Twins Leadership Award in 2019 \& '20...Carl R. Pohlad Award for Outstanding Community Service in 2019.
POLANCO'S THE MAN: Jorge Polanco hit his 21st home run of the season on Wednesday afternoon and is now one short of his single-season career-high of 22, done in 2019... in 59 games since June 1 , he is hitting. 306 (72-for-235) with 12 doubles, 16 home runs, 41 RBI 43 runs scored and a 926 OPS in that span.

In that same span, he is hitting. 329 (48-for-146) with a 1.046 OPS as a left-handed
batter and 270 (24--for-89) with a . 225 OPS
THE 'PEN IS MIGHTIER: In their last nine games (since August 3), the Twins bullpen has combined to go $3-0-5,2.65$ ERA ( 37.1 IP, 11 ER) with 14 walks, 39 strikeouts, a 183 opponent batting average and an opponent OPS of .573 .
Former Ray Alex Colome has gone 5 -for-5 in save opportunities in that span, with a .059 opponent batting average ( 1 -for-17) and 5.1 scoreless innings.

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| STREAKS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Current Streak. | 2 wins |
| Last 5 games. | 3-2 |
| Last 10 games.. | 6-4 |
| Last 15 games.. | 8-7 |
| Last 20 games.. | .10-10 |

SOUTHPAW STORIES: The Twins are hitting 247 (317--for-1286) with a . 423 slugging per-

| TWINS VS. RAYS |  |  |  |
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| 2019 Record:...................................5-2 |  |  |  |
| Current Streak:............................. 1 loss |  |  |  |
| 2019 at Home: ..................................2-1 |  |  |  |
| 2019 at Tampa Bay:...........................3-1 |  |  |  |
| All-Time Record:............................80-82 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at Home: ..........................44-40 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at Tampa Bay:....................36-42 |  |  |  |
| 2019 Game Logs: |  |  |  |
| Date | Site | Score | Winner/Loser/Save |
| 5/30 | TB | 3-14 | Morton/Pérez |
| 5/31 | TB | 5-3 | Rogers/Castillo |
|  | TB | 6-2 | Gibson/Chirinos |
|  | TB | 9-7 | Odorizzi/Yarbrough/Rogers |
| 6/25 | MIN | 9-4 | Gibson/Snell |
| 6/26 | MIN | 6-4 | May/Morton/Rogers |
| 6/27 |  | 2-5 (18) | Yarbrough/Harper |


| CURRENT HOMESTAND [2-1] |  |
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| Batting average |  |
| Runs Per Game. | 2.0 |
| Home Runs |  |
| RISP........ |  |
| Errors ............................... 1 |  |
| Team ERA | 4.33 |
| Starters W-L | 1-1 |
| Starters ERA | 6.08 |
| Relievers W-L-S |  |
| Relievers ERA | 2.63 |
| Saves/Opps | 2/2 |

centage and a .736 OPS vs. lefties this season, compared to $240(618$-for-2573) with a .427 slugging and a .744 OPS against righties. $\Phi$ Twins are tied with Los Angqees-AL for second-most homers against lefties in basebail with 5 2 trailing seatte (55) $\Phi$ Miguel Sanó is hitting. $342(13-$ for-38) with seven walks, a. 444 on-base percentage and a .9440 OPS in his last 21 games against lefties.
ARRAEZ TO THE OCCASION: Luis Arraez has hit safely in 22 of his last 24 games, hitting. 415 (34-for-82) in that span, the best in baseball since July 4 ( minimum 75 plate appearances)...he is 14 -for- -35 (.400) with four doubles and four walks in 11 games since being reinstated from the 10 -day Injured List on July 31 .
'91 REUNION THIS WEEKEND - TONIGHT: 1991 World Series 30th Anniversary Celebration: The reunion weekend kicks off on Friday evening:
© Pregame Photo Opportunity (1991 Worrd Series Alumni): Fans will have an opportunity to have their photo taken with Game $\rangle$

 that players and times are subject to change).
 in fruly On Deck except for during Saturrday's pregame ceremony).
$\Phi$ A special group of fans who have been Twins Season Ticket Holders since 1991 will lead the crowd in "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" during the 7 th-inning stretch.
玉 Former Twins legend/manager/coach/player/National Baseball Hall-of-Famer Paul Molitor will be joining Kris Atteberry both tonight and Saturday as an analyst on the Twins Radio Broadcasts.
LUCKY 13: Tonight marks the Twins' first time playing on Friday the 13th since 2018, when they defeated the Tampa Bay Rays 11-8 on Friday, July 13 at Target Field...since 1961, Minnesota is $26-24$ on Friday the 13 th, including $15-12$ at home and $11-12$ on the road.
SKI-U-MAH: The Twins are celebrating University of Minnesota Night...fans that bought this special ticket package receive an exclusive Co-themed U Of M/Wins cap. .tonight's radio analyst Paul Molitor played for the Golden Gophers from 1975 --77...notatable Gophers to play Major League Baseball include Dave Winfield, Terry Steinbach, Dan Wilson, Glen Perkins, Denny Neagle and Kerry Ligtenberg.


## MICHAEL PINEDA

## Hegght $6.7 \quad$ Weight 280 <br> 

2021：4－7，3．83 ERA CAREER：57－53，4．00 ERA
$\Phi$ Will make his 17th start and appearance of the season，the 165th of his career．
玉 Is making his first start against Tampa Bay since April 10， 2017 at Yankee Stadium．．．is 3－5，4．31 ERA（79．1 IP， 38 ER）in 14 lifetime starts vs．the Rays．
Ф Has a 3．00 ERA（21．0 IP， 7 ER）with two walks and 15 strikeouts in four second half starts．．．went 0－3，8．10 ERA（16．2 IP， 15 ER）in his last four starts prior to the All－Star Break．

| 民I己l DAY－BY－DAY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Date Opp．Dec．IP H R ER HR BB SO Left／Final Notes Pitches／K |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4／4 at MIL W1 | 5.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 |  | －1／8－2 |  | Stranded 6 | baserun | s over 5.01 | 81／57 | （0．4\％） |
| $4 / 10$ vs．SEA ND | 6.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 6 |  | －2／3－4 |  | Quality sta | t allowe | ust 2 solo HR | R 75 | 7．3\％） |
| 4／15 vs．BOS ND | 7.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 |  | －0／4－3 |  | Longest 202 | 21 start | date for MII | 88／6 | 9．3\％） |
| $4 / 24$ vs．PIT L1 | 4.16 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 5 |  | －5／2－6 |  | 1st loss sir | ce July 1 | 2019 |  | 5．6\％） |
| 4／30 vs．KC W2 | 5.03 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 |  | －1／9－1 |  | Hit on wris | w／ 1 out |  |  | 9．2\％） |
| APRIL Totals 2－1 | 27.119 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 27 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30 ERA |
| $5 / 6$ vs．TEX ND | 6.0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 |  | －2／3－4 |  | Rangers ra | lied off | ns＇pen |  | 7．8\％） |
| 5／13 at CWS L2 | 5.1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 7 |  | －2／2－4 |  | Then－seas | highs | ches \＆Ks |  | 5．6\％） |
| $5 / 26$ vs．BAL W3 | 6.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 |  | －1／3－2 |  | Activated | of IL that | morning | 101／6 | 7．3\％） |
| MaY TOTALS 1－1 | 17.113 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12 ERA |
| $6 / 1$ at BAL L3 | 3.0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 |  | －5／4－7 |  | Shortest st | art since | 5， 2017 |  | 9．8\％） |
| $6 / 8$ vs．NYY ND | 4.14 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |  | 2－1／4－8 |  | Had start | ushed ba | 1 day |  | 3．5\％） |
| 6／13 vs．HOU L4 | 4.06 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  | －3／3－14 |  | Placed on IL | next day |  |  | 0．9\％） |
| JUNE TOTALS 0 －2 | 11.117 | 10 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ， 94 ERA |
| $7 / 7$ vs．CWS L5 | 5.112 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 |  | －5／1－6 |  | Returned $f$ | momic ca | er－high hit |  | 3．2\％） |
| 7／21 at CWS W4 | 5.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |  | －1／7－2 |  | Snapped 3 | game los | g streak | 73／4 | 5．8\％） |
| 7／26 vs．DET ND | 6.0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 |  | －2／6－5 |  | DET rallied | off＇pen； | ins won in | 10 85／5 | 9．4\％） |
| JULY TOTALS 1－1 | 16.121 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ． 41 ERA |
| 8／1 at STL L6 | 4.0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 |  | －4／3－7 |  | 2nd－highes | strike \％ | of season |  | 6．5\％） |
| $8 / 7$ at HOU L7 | 6.07 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |  | －2／0－4 |  | Most pitch | s since S | t．7， 2020 | 102／6 | 6．7\％） |
| AUG TOTALS 0 －2 | 10.012 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 60 ERA |
|  |  | RECORD |  |  | IP |  | H |  | R | ER | HR | BB | SO | ERA |
| 2021 TOTALS |  | 4－7 |  |  | 82.1 |  | 82 |  | 38 | 35 | 13 | 17 | 70 | 3.83 |
| CAREER TOTALS |  | 57－5 |  |  | 935.0 |  | 900 |  | 446 | 416 | 127 | 209 | 922 | 4.00 |

SECOND HALF TURNAROUND：Pineda has fashioned a 3.00 ERA（21．0 IP， 7 ER），with two walks（ 1 intentional）and 15 strikeouts in four starts since the All－Star Break．．．．marks a return to form for ＂Big Mike，＂after he stumbled to an 0－3 mark with an 8．10 ERA（16．2 IP， 15 ER），three walks，eight strikeouts and a $.387 / .405 / .627$ opponent slash line（29－for－75 with 8 doubles， 2 triples， 2 home runs）in four starts from June 1－July 7.

A LITTLE HELP，PLEASE：Despite the 3.00 second－half ERA，Pineda is just 1－2 in those four starts （Minnesota is 2－2，with consecutive losses）．．．Twins have plated just two runs when he has been on the mound（three overall）in his last two outings
ד In fact，Pineda＇s 4.48 run－support average is lowest among all Twins pitchers with at least five starts．．．he has received three－or－fewer runs in 12 of his 16 starts，two－or－fewer in nine outings and，in six of his starts，the Twins have been shut out or held to one run while he was in the game．
LAST TIME OUT：Pineda shouldered the 4－0 loss on August 7 at Houston，but gutted out a season－high 102－pitch performance to save an exhausted Twins bullpen that had worked 6.0 innings the night before and a combined 17.1 frames over the previous four days．．．Twins were blanked by Houston＇s Luis Garcia and three relievers，who combined on a four－hitter．
$\Phi$ Threw 47 pitches over the first two innings，before settling in to turn in his sixth quality start of the season．．．scattered seven hits and allowed just two runs over 6.0 innings．．．did not walk a batter，while striking out three．．．Astros added two in the eighth inning off the Twins bullpen． 102 pitches thrown were the most by Pineda since September 7， 2020 vs．Detroit（104）and the fourth－highest total of his Twins career（109 on July 21， 2019 vs．Oakland and 107 on September 6， 2019 vs．Cleveland）．

START PRIOR：Pineda was saddled with the 7－3 loss to Adam Wainwright and St．Louis on August 1 at Busch Stadium．．．allowed three runs（2 earned）on five hits，with one walk（intentional）and three strikeouts over 4.0 innings．．．．was lifted for a pinch－hitter in the top of the fifth with the Twins trailing 3－2 and the tying run at second base．．．go－ahead run scored off Pineda in the bottom of the fifth on a two－ out throwing error by third baseman Luis Arraez，the culmination of a 10－pitch at－bat by Wainwright．

MINNESOTA MIKE：Pineda has made 47 starts in a Twins uniform，going 17－12，3．88 ERA（255．0 IP， 110 ER）with a 4.52 strikeout－to－walk ratio（ $235 \mathrm{~K}, 52 \mathrm{BB}$ ）and a 1.18 WHIP（ 248 hits）．．．Minnesota is 27－20（．574）when he toes the rubber．
$\Phi$ Big Mike＇s personal winning percentage（．586），team winning percentage，ERA，strikeout－to－ walk ratio and WHIP with the Twins are all better than his overall career numbers：A personal 518 winning percentage（57－53）and a .518 team ledger（85－79）in 164 starts，with a 4.00 ERA （935．0 IP， 416 ER）， 4.41 strikeout－to－walk ratio（ $922 \mathrm{~K}, 209 \mathrm{BB}$ ）and a 1.19 WHIP（ 900 hits）．
$\boldsymbol{\sigma}$ His 4．8 WAR（per Fangraphs）since 2019 is 14th among AL starters（min 250.0 IP）．
WHO ARE YOU AGAIN？：After facing Tampa Bay 12 times from 2014－17 as a divisional rival with New York－AL，and 14 times overall between 2011－17，tonight will be Pineda＇s first start against the Rays since April 10， 2017 －an 8－1 win for Big Mike at Yankee Stadium．．．Pineda dazzled in that start， tossing 7.2 innings of two－hit，one－run ball with no walks and 11 strikeouts．
$\Phi$ Four of Big Mike＇s eight career double－digit strikeout games have come against the Rays：July 30,2011 with Seattle（ 10 K in 6.1 IP）；July 4， 2015 with New York－AL（ 10 K in 7.0 IP）；September 20， 2016 with the Yankees（11 K in 5.1 IP）；and the aforementioned April 10， 2017 performance with NYY（ 11 K in 7.2 IP ）
क Pineda is 3－5，4．31 ERA（79．1 IP， 38 ER ）in 14 career starts vs．Tampa Bay，including 2－1， 3.50 （43．2 IP， 17 ER）over four outings in his home ballparks．

HOME COOKING：Pineda will make his 11th home start of the season in this evening＇s contest．．．is 2－3，3．67 ERA（ 54.0 IP， 22 ER）and a 1．13 WHIP over his first 10 Target Field outings of 2021．．．in his last start here on July 26，limited Detroit to two runs on five hits in 6.0 innings；the Twins eventually won，6－5 in 10 innings．
$\Phi$ His last win at home came May 26 in a 3－2 victory over Baltimore（ $6.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 2 \mathrm{BB}, 8 \mathrm{~K}$ ）． $\boldsymbol{\Phi}$ Big Mike is 6－6，3．82 ERA（148．1 IP， 63 ER）in 27 career home starts with the Twins．

2021 ARSENAL：Below is a breakdown of Pineda＇s 2021 three－pitch repertoire，according to Baseball Savant，which follows a similar pattern to what he featured in 2020.
$\Phi$ Since his first start of the 2020 season，opponents are hitting 159 （23－for－145）with 58 strikeouts against Pineda＇s slider．
$\Phi$ In two－and－a－half seasons with the Twins，he has used his four－seam fastball more than half the time $(53.3 \%$ in $2021,50.1 \%$ in 2020， $54.1 \%$ in 2019）．．．after a career－high $59.5 \%$ use rate as a Mariners rookie，he never topped $47.7 \%$ as a Yankee．
 4－Seam Fastball（90．6）．．．．．．．．．．．．． $53.3 \%$（ 689 pitches， $379 / 310$ ）．．．． 297 （49－for－165），12 2B， $13 \mathrm{~B}, 9 \mathrm{HR}, 27 \mathrm{~K}$ Slider（81．2）．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． $29.4 \%$（ 380 pitches，279／101）．．．．．．． 175 （18－for－103）， 32 2B， 3 HR， 41 K
Changeup（ 85.4 ）．．．．．．．．．．．．． $17.3 \%$（ 223 pitches， $55 / 168$ ）．．．．．．． 294 （15－for－51）， $42 \mathrm{~B}, 13 \mathrm{~B}, 1$ RR， 2 K

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| Ca＇s：－－ | CG＇s： $1.6 / 281$ |

CG＇s：
CG Low Hit：
Innings：7．0， $4 / 15$ vs．BOS
S0＇s：8，5／26 vs．BAL
Walks： $3,5 / 13$ at CWS
Hits： $12,7 / 7$ vs．CWS
Home Runs：2，3x，last：5／13 at CWS Win－Streak：1，4x，last：7／21
Loss－Streak：3，6／1－7／7

## CAREER NOTES

－Missed last 21 games of 2019，the entire ALDS and the first 36 contests of 2020 due to a 60 game suspension for violating MLB＇s Joint Drug and Prevention Treatment Program． －Spent the entire 2018 season on the Injured List，recovering from Tommy John surgery on right elbow．．．also missed the entire 2012 campaign with New York－AL recovering from right shoulder surgery，and was out of the majors in 2013 while rehabbing．
－Struck out 207 batters over 175.2 innings pitched in 2016，setting the fifth－lowest innings total for a pitcher who recorded 200＋strikeouts in American League history．
－Was an AL All－Star in 2011 as a member of the Seattle Mariners，posting a 3.03 ERA（113．0 IP， 38 ER ）with 113 strikeouts and an opponents average of ． 198 in the first half，and finished the year fifth in the AL Rookie of the Year voting．
－In 2011，he became one of 27 rookie pitchers in the Expansion Era（1961－present）to throw at least 171.0 innings and strikeout 173 or more batters，and first since Daisuke Matsuzaka （Boston，2007）．
－Was signed by Seattle as a 16 －year－old undrafted free agent December 12，2005．．．signed by Patrick Guerrero，brother of Fred Guerrero，Twins＇Director of Latin American Scouting \＆U．S． Integration．
－He owns a farm in his native Dominican Republic，where he raises chickens in addition to growing a number of crops．

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|  | W | L | ERA | G／GS IP | ER | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | SO |
| Home： | 2 | 3 | 3.67 | 10／10 54.0 | 22 | Vs．Left：． 267 | 40 | 150 | 8 | 6 | 28 |
| Road： | 2 | 4 | 4.13 | 6／6 28.1 | 13 | Vs．Right：． 249 | 42 | 169 | 5 | 11 | 42 |
| Day： | 2 | 5 | 3.74 | 10／10 53.0 | 22 | TOTALS： .257 | 82 | 319 | 13 | 17 | 70 |
| Night： | 2 | 2 | 3.99 | 6／6 29.1 | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass： | 4 | 7 | 3.83 | 16／16 82.1 | 35 | None On：$\quad .261$ | 54 | 207 | 10 | 10 | 44 |
| Turf： | －－ | －－ | －－ | －－－－ | －－ | Runners On：． 250 | 28 | 112 | 3 | 7 | 26 |


| B．0－PLUS IPIDUALITY STARTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| YEAR | STARTS | 6＋IP | QS | YEAR | STARTS | $6.0+$ IP | QS |  |
| 2011 | 28 | 22 | 19 | 2017 | 17 | 10 | 9 |  |
| 2014 | 13 | 10 | 9 | 2019 | 26 | 14 | 13 |  |
| 2015 | 27 | 17 | 12 | 2020 | 5 | 2 | 2 |  |
| 2016 | 32 | 15 | 11 | 2021 | 16 | 6 | 6 |  |
|  |  |  |  | TOTALS | 164 | $\mathbf{9 6}$ | $\mathbf{8 1}$ |  |



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| INNING： | $\mathbf{1}$ | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| RUNS／HITS： | $4 / 14$ | $9 / 15$ | $10 / 18$ | $5 / 15$ | $5 / 13$ | $5 / 6$ | $0 / 1$ | $-/-$ | $-/-$ |

## PINEDA V5．TAMPA BAY

2017 vs．Tampa Bay（2 starts）：1－1，3．97 ERA（11．1 IP， 5 ER）， 0 BB， 17 K
2017 vs．Tampa Bay at Home（ 1 start）：1－0，1．17 ERA（ $7.2 \mathrm{IP}, 1 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $0 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$
2107 vs．Tampa Bay on Road（1 starts）：0－1，9．82 ERA（3．2 IP， 4 ER）， 0 BB， 6 K Career vs．Tampa Bay（14 starts）：3－5，4．31 ERA（79．1 IP， 38 ER）， 16 BB， 97 K
Career vs．Tampa Bay at Home（7 starts）：2－1，3．50 ERA（43．2 IP， 17 ER）， 8 BB， 54 K
Career vs．Tampa Bay on Road（7 starts）：1－4，5．30 ERA（35．2 IP， 21 ER）， 8 BB， 43 K

## BATTER－PITCHER MATCH－UPS

## Pineda vs．the Rays

| Pineda vs．the Rays |  |  |  |  |  |  | McClanahan vs．the Twins |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Kiermaier | ． 217 | 23 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 3 | Has no | any | ent | ins |  |  |  |
| Cruz | ． 222 | 18 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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START＇EM WITH STRIKE ONE，THEN GET＇EM TO CHASE：Pineda ranks ninth in the American League（min． 80.0 IP ）by pouring in strike one at a 66.6 percent clip．．．he has also induced opposing batters to chase，in any count， 33.5 percent of the time to rank in the 93 rc percentile among all big league hurlers．．．for his career，Big Mike owns a 65.4 percent first－strike rate and a 33.5 percent chase rate．
$\Phi$ When Pineda starts a batter with strike one，those opposing hitters are slashing just ．210／．247／． 398 （ 37 －for－176 with 8 2B， 2 3B， 7 HR， 9 BB and 52 K ）
\＄Once Big Mike gets to a two－strike count，opposing batters are 32 －for－166（．193）with five doubles，three home runs， 12 walks and a .523 OPS．
$\Phi$ Pineda also ranks in the game＇s 92 nd percentile with a 5.0 walk percentage．
AT HIS BEST AGAINST THE BEST：Pineda has pitched his best against the heart of opposing lineups，limiting the number 2－5 hitters to a combined 185 batting average（ 29 －for－157） with five doubles，six home runs，five walks， 37 strikeouts and a .540 OPS．．．by contrast leadoff batters are slashing ．477／．511／．773（21－for－44 with 5 2B， $13 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}$ and 3 BB ）and the 6－9 slots are hitting a combined .271 （32－for－118）with nine doubles，one triple，five home runs，nine walks， 28 strikeouts and an .812 OPS．
$\Phi$ Big Mike has been especially stingy against opposing cleanup hitters，limiting those batters to six hits in 40 at－bats（．150），with one double，two home runs，one walk， 11 strikeouts and a .496 OPS
$\Phi$ Five－hole hitters are also below the Mendoza line against Pineda，going 7－for－36（．194） with three doubles，no walks，five strikeouts and a ． 472 OPS．

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Maeda is scheduled to start tomorrow evening in the second of this three－game weekend series against Tampa Bay．．．both of his starts on Minnesota＇s recent roadtrip were Twins victories（August 3 at Cincinnati and August 8 at Houston），although he did surrender eight earned runs in 10.0 IP（7．20 ERA）．．．earned his fifth win of the season last Sunday afternoon at Minute Made Park，work－ ing 5.0 innings and allowing three runs on six hits，with three walks and five strikeouts．．．threw a season－high 100 pitches，departing with a 7－3 lead in a game the Twins won，7－5．．．is 2－1，3．43 ERA（39．1 IP， 15 ER）with 31 hits allowed， 10 walks and 50 strikeouts in his last seven starts（beginning July 4）．．．tomorrow night will be his first career start and second appearance against the Rays．．．was credited with the relief win in his lone previous outing，despite allowing three runs in just 1.0 inning（ $3 \mathrm{H}, 0 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ ）in a 7－5 Dodgers victory on September 17， 2019 in Los Angeles．

## TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

$\Phi$ In their last 9 games (since August 3), Twins 'pen has combined to go 3-0-5, 2.65 ERA (37.1 IP, 11 ER) with 14 walks, 39 strikeouts, a . 183 opponent batting average and an opponent OPS of . 573 . $\Phi$ Twins bullpen is 22-26-29, 4.82 ERA (420.1 IP, 225 ER ), $166 \mathrm{BB}, 431 \mathrm{~K}, 60$ holds and a .251 BAA ( 398 -for-1587) in 114 games this season...the last time the Twins played TB was in 2019 Twins bullpen went 2-1-2, with a 5.46 ERA ( 31.1 IP, 19 ER) with $9 \mathrm{BB}, 28 \mathrm{~K}$ with two holds \& a BAA of 227 ( 27 -for-119) over seven games...three of those seven games were at Targe Field, bullpen went 1-1-1, with a 2.16 ERA ( 16.2 IP, 4 ER) with 5 BB, 14 K with one hold \& a BAA of . 125 ( 7 -for-56) in those three games... pen has also allowed 59 of 121 inherited runners to score this season (48.8\%), still the highest percentage in baseball...is 4-2-3, 4.98 ERA ( $43.1 \mathrm{IP}, 24 \mathrm{ER}$ ), $17 \mathrm{BB}, 40 \mathrm{~K}, .273 \mathrm{BAA}(47-\mathrm{for}$ - 172 ) in 13 games vs. AL East this season.

## CHARLIE BARNES - LHP <br> Height: 6-2 Weight: 190

Homestand: 0-0-0, 5.79 (4.2 IP, 3 ER), 3 K, 2 BB Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 5.79 (4.2 IP, 3ER), 3 K, 2 BB vs. Left . 286 vs. Right . 333
Made first career relief appearance on $8 / 9$, allowing three runs on six hits, with two walks and three strikeouts over a career-high-tying 4.2 innings of work vs. CWS...has never pitched vs. TB...recalled from Triple-A St. Paul on July 30...made his major league debut in the first game of the doubleheader on July 17 at Detroit (L, 4.2 IP, $4 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / E R, 1 \mathrm{HR}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{~K}$ ), became the second pitcher in Twins history to allow one-orfewer runs in his debut and take the loss, joining Brad Havens on June 5, 1981...also started on $8 / 4$ at CIN (L, 4.0 IP, 7 H, 5 R/ER, 2 BB \& 2 K). क Career 0-2, 6.23 ERA (8.2 IP, 6 ER) with 3 BB \& 3 K over 2 starts this season (both starts on the road).

## ALEX CDLDME - RHP Weight: 225

Age: 32 (12/31/88 in Santo Domingo, DR)
SBries $v 5$ CWS: $0-0-2,0.00(2.0)$
Acquired: Signed as FA. $2 / 12 / 21$
Height: 6-1 Acquired: Signed as FA, 2/12/21
$\Phi$ Recorded 7th save of the season on $8 / 11$ (his 5th since 4/7) and second at Target Field...it marked his seventh-consecutive scoreless appearance, working 6.1 IP with one hit, three walks and four strikeouts, converting all five of his save opportunities in that span...is 2-1 on stranded 7-of-9 IR this season.
Ф Played for TB (2013-2018), 22-18-96 with 40 holds \& a 3.12 ERA in 243 G...career 1 SV, 4 holds, 6.00 ERA ( 6.00 IP, 4 ER) with 2 BB \& 5 K vs. TB. Has 5 SV, 3 holds and 2.29 ERA ( 19.2 IP, 5 ER), with 6 BB, 13 K and . 192 BAA ( 14 -for- 73 ) in his last 20 outings ( 16 scoreless efforts)...since May 1:3.09 ERA, 35.0 IP, 28 K \& a . 225 AVG against...T-1st in appearances (46) among active Twins...has held RHB to 196 BAA (19-for
w/ 2 HR \& . 286 SLG...LHB are hitting .315 (23-for-73) w/ 4 HR \& 548 SLG...opponents are batting . 216 (11-for-51) off him with RISP.

## DANNY CDULDMBE - LHP [PRDNOUNEED KDI-LDHM] <br> Height: 5-10 Weight: 190 Age:

\#53
$\qquad$ Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 11/9/20
Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( 0.0 IP, 0 ER), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0$ BB $\quad$ vs. Left 250 vs. Right 244 क Career 2-1, 7.66 ERA (22.1 IP, 19 ER), with $9 \mathrm{BB}, 27 \mathrm{~K}$ in 25 games vs. AL East...has appeared in four career games vs. TB, going 0-1, with a hold, and a 4.91 ERA ( 3.2 IP, 2 ER) with 2 K (last time in 2018)...recorded 1st hold of the season on $8 / 8$ ( 0.1 IP)...has allowed 5 ER over last 14 outings ( 15.0 IP ), w/ 3.00 ERA, $2 \mathrm{BB}, 16 \mathrm{~K}$ and a . 255 BAA (14-for-55).
$\Phi$ Placed on Paternity List on 7/16...reinstated from paternity leave 7/19 after he \& his wife, Lauren, welcomed their second son, Thomas.
क Contract selected from Triple-A St. Paul on $6 / 25$ and has appeared in 16 games (1 start) for the Twins, going 2-1, 2.89 ERA (18.2 IP, 6 ER)

## TYLER DUFFEY - RHP

Age: 30 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX)
Acquired: 5th Round, 2012 Draft
Height: 6-3 Weight: 220 Age: 30 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) (1.0 IP OER) 0 K 0 BB Acquirea: 5th Rounu, 2012 Draft $\Phi$ Has pitched $1 x$ in 4th, $6 x$ in 5 th, $10 x$ in 6 th, $19 x$ in 7 th, $9 x$ in 8 th, $3 x$ in 9 th, $4 x$ in extras so far this season...has not allowed ER in 36 of 46 G ...
 scoreless IP in 2019 vs. TB (both games at Target Field)...career 3.60 ERA ( $10.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 12 K over 5 games at Target Field vs. TB. allowed one ER on $8 / 8$ for the 1st time since $7 / 30$.
$\Phi$ Has posted a 4.50 ERA (24.0 IP, 12 ER) and 293 BAA in 24 road G compared to 2.70 ERA ( 20.0 IP, 6 ER) and 176 BAA in 22 home G this season. $\Phi$ Has posted a 4.50 ERA ( $24.0 \mathrm{IP}, 12 \mathrm{ER}$ ) and .293 BAA in 24 road G , compared to 2.70 ERA (20.0 IP, 6 ER) and .176 BAA in 22 home G this se
$\Phi$ Has held RHB to .235 BAA ( 24 -for-102) w/ $13 \mathrm{BB}, 26 \mathrm{~K}$ and .333 SLG...LHB are hitting .259 ( 15 -for-58) w/ $10 \mathrm{BB}, 11 \mathrm{~K}$ and .379 SLG. $\Phi$ Has held RHB to .235 BAA ( 24 -for-102) w/ 13 BB, 26 K and .333 SLG...LHB are hitting .259 ( 15 -for-58) w/ 10 BB,
$\Phi 2021$ arsenal: Curveball $-52.3 \%$ (402 pitches), 4 -Seam Fastball $-44.1 \%$ ( 339 pitches), Sinker $-3.5 \%$ ( 27 pitches).

## JOHN GANT - RHP

Height: 6-4 Weight: 200 Age: 29 (8/6/1992 in Savannah, GA) \#33
 क In 5 games for MN - 1.59 ERA (5.2 IP, ER) BB \& 8 K...earned his 2nd hold on 8/10...acquired by Twins on 7/30 from STL w/ MiLB LHP Evan Sisk, in exchange for LHP J.A. Happ...has not appeared vs. IB in his career.
क Went 4-6, 3.42 ERA (76.1 IP, 29 ER), 56 BB, $56 \mathrm{~K}, .229 / .365 / .343$ opponent slash line ( 64 -for-280) in 25 games ( 14 starts) for STL this season.
$\Phi$ Began year in STL rotation; pitched exclusively out of 'pen since 6/28, posting 1.54 ERA (11.2 IP, 2 ER) and . 167 BAA (7-for-42) in 11 G for STL $\Phi 2021$ arsenal: Sinker - $37.7 \%$ ( 556 pitches), Changeup - $21.8 \%$ ( 321 pitches), 4 -Seam Fastball - $12.6 \%$ ( 1815 pitches), Slider - $10.2 \%$ (150 pitches), Cutter - 10.4\% (153 pitches), Curveball- $7.3 \%$ (108 pitches).

## EIGAR GARCAA - RHP

Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 Age: 25 (10/4/96 in Sabana Grande De Palenque, DR ) Acquired: Claimed off waivers from CIN, 7/30/21 Homestand: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series vs CWS: 0-0-0, 3.86 (2.1 IP, 1ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left. 333 vs. Right. 000
Ф Claimed off waivers from Cincinnati on July 30 ...recalled on $8 / 9$ from Triple-A St. Paul and made his Twins debut, (ND, 2.1 IP, 1 ER, 1 K). $\Phi$ Played for TB in 2020 - appeared in 4 games, recorded one save, 3.1 IP allowing 4 ER in that span...has not appeared against TB.
ब Has also appeared in four games for the Saints, going 2-0 with 5.0 scoreless innings, two hits allowed, one walk and six strikeouts.
$\Phi$ Made his major league debut in 2019 for Philadelphia and has appeared in 47 career games across three MLB seasons with Philadelphia, Tampa Bay, Cincinnati and Minnesota, going 2-1-1 with a 6.98 ERA (49.0 IP, 38 ER), one save, 31 walks and 51 strikeouts.

## JUAN MINAYA - RHP

Height: 6-4 Weight: 210 Age: 30 ( $9 / 18 / 90$ in Loma De Cabrera, DR) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 11/9/20
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0 ER), $3 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CWS: $0-0-0,0.00$ (1.1 IP, 0 ER), $3 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left . 125 vs. Right 200
क Career 5.14 ERA ( 7.0 IP, 4 ER) with one save, one walk \& 7 K over 6 games vs. TB...earned 1st hold of the season on $8 / 11$ ( 1.1 IP with 3 K ).
क Earned W on $8 / 6$ ( 1.1 scoreless IP with 2 K )...also earned $W$ on $7 / 23$, which was his 1 st $W$ since $9 / 12 / 18$ at KC (w/ CWS).
$\Phi$ DFA-ed on $6 / 5$ \& outrighted to AAA St. Paul on 6/8...contract selected on 7/17, has allowed 4 ER in 10.1 IP, 5 BB, 15 K in 7 games since return
$\Phi$ Last 5 app. have bee scoreless...has appeared in 12 games for the Twins this season, going 2-0-0, 3.50 ERA ( 18.0 IP, 7 ER ), $8 \mathrm{BB}, 22 \mathrm{~K}$ and . 172 BAA ( 11 -for-64)...career 8-4-10, with a 3.87 ERA (146.1 IP, 63 ER) with 74 BB \& 164 K over 137 ML games (2016-2019 w/ CWS \& 2021 W/ MIN).

## CALEB THIELBAR - LHP

## Age: 34 (1/31/87 in Northfield, MN)

Homestand: 1-0-0, 0.00 (1, 2IP, 0 ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CWS: 1-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB}$. Signed as ml FA 11/29/19
क Career 2.70 ERA (3.1 IP, 1 ER) with 1 BB \& 3 K over five games vs. TB; runs allowed on $8 / 7$ were 1 st R vs. HOU in career \& 1st time w/ $2+$ ER allowed on road since $5 / 11$ at CWS (4 ER)..earned his 4th win of the season on $8 / 11 \ldots$ career $6-2$, with a 2.59 ERA ( 90.1 IP, 26 ER) with 11 holds, $24 \mathrm{BB}, 83 \mathrm{~K}$ \& a BAA of . 226 at Target Field ( 87 games - all as reliever).
$\Phi$ Is 4-0, 3.95 ERA (43.1 IP, 19 ER ) w/ 7 holds, 15 BB and 55 K in 40 games overall this season... 20 of last 25 appearances have been scoreless.
$\Phi$ 13th among qualified left-handed AL relievers this season by striking out 11.42 batters-per- 9.0 innings pitched.

- Has allowed 10 of 17 inherited runners to score this season T-11th most in AL owns 2 70 FRA ( 262 IP, 8 FR) w/ 5 holds, 8 BB 31 Kin 2 home app. this season, compared to a 5.94 ERA ( $16.2 \mathrm{IP}, 11 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with 7 BB and 24 K in 16 road games.
Ф 2021 arsenal: $4-$ Seam FB $-50.0 \%$ ( 379 pitches), Slider $-36.3 \%$ ( 275 pitches), Curveball $-13.5 \%$ (102 pitches), Changeup $-0.3 \%$ ( 2 pitches)


## NICK VINCENT - RHP

Height: 5-10 Weight: 185
Age: 35 (7/12/86 in Poway CA) $\qquad$ Acruired Sianed a ml free agent a/22/21
Homestand: 0-0-0, $0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs. CWS: $0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OR}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left 000 vs. Right. 000
$\Phi$ Contract selected on $8 / 10$ from Triple-A St. Paul...signed to a minor league contract by the Twins on June 22, has appeared in 14 games for the Saints this season, going 3-1 with a 4.26 ERA (19.0 IP, 9 ER), six saves, five walks and 24 strikeouts.
© Career 3.97 ERA (11.1 IP 5 ER) with 4 BB, 15 K and 2 holds over 9 games vs. TB (last, 9/4/2020).
Has pitched in parts of nine major league seasons with San Diego, Seattle, San Francisco, Philadelphia and Miami, going 22-23 with a 3.38 ERA (399.0 IP, 150 ER), seven saves, 100 walks and 396 strikeouts in 405 career games (2 starts).

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| $8 / 11$ vs. CWS | S7 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $8 / 10$ vs. CWS | S6 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 8$ at HOU | S5 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 6$ at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU | S4 | 0.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 3$ at CIN | S3 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 7/31 at STL | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |  |
| $7 / 26$ vs. DET | BS4 | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 25$ vs. LAA | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |


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| $8 / 8$ at HOU | H1 | 0.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8/6 at HOU | BS1 | 0.2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU | ND | 0.2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| $8 / 3$ at CIN | W2 | 1.1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  | - |
| $8 / 1$ at STL | ND | 1.0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 7/30 at STL | ND | 2.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 27$ vs. DET | ND | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |


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| 8/10 vs. CWS H15 1. |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 8$ at HOU ND 0.2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $8 / 6$ at HOU ND 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 5$ at HOU H14 1. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 7/30 at STL L3 1.0 |  | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| $7 / 27$ vs. DET H13 1.0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $7 / 26$ vs. DET H12 1.0 |  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 7/21 at CWS ND 1.2 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7/19 at CWS (1) W2 1.0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 7/11 vs. DET W1 1.0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |





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| Player name | 1st Batter Avg | BB/9 | K/9 | Saves/Opps | Holds | IRS\% | WHIP | HR | Last game | 2 games ago | 3 games ago |
| Charlie Barnes | . 000 | 3.38 | 4.05 | 0/0 | 0 | 100.0\% (1/1) | 1.65 | 2 | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | 4.2 P (68) |
| Alex Colome | . 405 | 3.71 | 7.83 | 7/11 | 9 | 22.2\% (2/9) | 1.37 | 6 | 1.0 IP (14) | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(10)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Danny Coulombe | . 400 | 1.45 | 10.13 | $0 / 1$ | 3 | 25.0\% (1/4) | 1.07 | 4 | 0.0 IP (0) | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Tyler Duffey | . 250 | 4.70 | 7.57 | 2/4 | 21 | 57.9\% (11/19) | 1.41 | 3 | 0.01 P (0) | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(15)$ | 0.01 P (0) |
| John Gant | . 250 | 1.59 | 12.71 | $0 / 0$ | 1 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.88 | 0 | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ | $1.01 \mathrm{P}(11)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Edgar Garcia | . 000 | 0.00 | 3.86 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.43 | 0 | 0.01 P (0) | 0.0 IP (0) | 2.1 IP (32) |
| Juan Minaya | . 182 | 4.00 | 11.00 | $0 / 0$ | 3 | 0.0\% (0/3) | 1.06 | 2 | 1.1 IP (15) | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | $0.01 \mathrm{P}(0)$ |
| Caleb Thielbar | . 206 | 3.12 | 11.42 | 0/0 | 14 | 58.8\% (10/17) | 1.20 | 5 | 1.1 IP (20) | 0.01 P (0) | $0.01 \mathrm{PP}(0)$ |
| Nick Vincent | . 000 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.00 | 0 | 0.01 P (0) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.01 P (0) |

## LIJS ARRAEZ - IF/DF [PRONOUNCED AH-RISE] Height: 5-10 Weight: 175 2021 Average: 317 Homestand: $\quad 3-11,2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{RBI}$

Went 1-for-4, 2B Wednesday; extended season-high hit streak to 9 G (13-for-28, .464).. tied career high by reaching base $5 x$ in game $8 / 4$ at CIN (also, 4/4/21 at MIL)...has $83+H$ games, 2nd-most on MIN...reinstated from 10-day IL $7 / 31$; missed 9 G w/ right knee strain. as a hit in 22 of last 24 G (including 9 multi-hit games), batting .415 ( 34 -for- 82 ), 13 R , 2B, 6 RBI, 7 BB, .456 OBP...3rd-inning 1 B on $7 / 4$ was his 200 th career hit...on $6 / 25 \mathrm{vs}$. CLE, became 4th Twin w/ 2B, 2 3B in game...on IL 3x this season: 5/4-5/11 (concussion),
$5 / 26-6 / 14$ (right shoulder strain), $7 / 24-7 / 31$ (strained right knee). batting 342 (67-for-196) from leadoff spot and .333 (12-for-36) combined from 4th \& 5th spots in batting order.

## Batting . 429 ( 6 -for-14), 2B, RBI, BB, 3 R in 3 career G vs. Tampa Bay.

## $\begin{array}{llll}\text { WILLIAN5 } & \text { ASTUDILLD - C/IF } & \\ \text { Height: 5-9 } & \text { Weight: } 225 & \text { B/T: R/R Age: } 29 \text { (10/14/91 in Barcelona Anzoategui, VZ) }\end{array}$ Height: 5-9 Weight: 225 B/I: R/ Streak: $1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-3$, HR, 2 RBI 29 (10/14/91 in Barcolona Anzoategui, VZ 

$\Phi$ Did not play Wednesday....hit 2-out, 2-R, go-ahead HR in 6th Tuesday; 3rd career go-ahead HR \& 3rd w/ 2 outs (last, $4 / 23$ vs. PIT)...was 1 -for- 3, R, RBI $8 / 5$ at HOUU...on $7 / 31$ at STL, had 4th career PH \& 2nd PH RBI...7/28-7/30 had b2b 3-H G for 1st time in career...recalled 7/21 (Kirilloff - IL)...batting . 314 (11-for-35), 3 2B, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 5 R in 14 G since.
Is 5 -for-21 (.238), 2B, R, 3 RBI, 2 HBP in 6 games vs. TB...on $6 / 16$ at SEA, went $1-$ for- $2, R, 2$ BB; 1st MLB game w/2 BB, 1st as pro since $5 / 2 / 17$ w/ AAA Reno.

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { JAKE CAVE - IF } & & \text { \#/T: L/L } \\ \text { Height: 6-0 Weight: } 200 \text { Age: } 28 \text { (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA) }\end{array}$ 2021 Average: $176 \quad$ Streak: $0-7 \quad$ Series vs CWS: $0-6$

历 Was 0-for-3 Wednesday vs. CWS...went 1-for-2, R, 3B 8/8; 1st 3B since 9/20/20 at CHC...had rd career PH 7/31 at STL reinstated from $60-$ day $1 \mathrm{~L} / 24$. missed $64 \mathrm{Gw} /$ stress reaction in low back...hit .367 (11-for-30), 2B, HR, 5 RBI, 5 BB, .972 OPS in 8 rehab G w/ AAA St. Paul. Is 5 -for-24, 2 R, 3B, HBP, 2 BB in 15 games since return from IL

- Career .286 ( 6 -for-21), 22B, 3B, 2 RBI, 5 R, 2 BB, .348 0BP, .824 OPS in 6 games vs. TB, a at Target Field...career 226 ( 26 -for-115), $72 \mathrm{~B}, 23 \mathrm{~B}, 12 \mathrm{RBI}, 15 \mathrm{R}, 10 \mathrm{BB}$ in 36 G vs. AL East Career def. positions: 137 in CF, 75 in RF, 39 in LF...in 2021: $18 \mathrm{G} / 8 \mathrm{GS}$ in LF, $22 \mathrm{G} / 15 \mathrm{GS}$ in CF, 7 G/5 GS in RF.


## JOHT IDNALDSDN - 3B <br> Height: 6-1 Weight: 210 B/T: R/R Age: 35 (12/8/85 in Pensacola, FL) 2021 Average: .242 $0-3$ Streak: 0-3 Series vs CWS:

Went 0-for-3, R, BB Tuesday; leads MIN w/ 52 BB (T-15th in AL), also 4th w/ 16 multi-hit G...was 1 -for-5 w/ go-ahead RBI 1 B in 11th $8 / 6 \ldots$...had BB in 5 -straight G 7/24-7/28, longest streak since career-best $8-G$ run 9/2-9/10/19...2nd RBI on $7 / 26$ was 700th of career, becoming 30th active player to reach 700 career RBI...has 10 go-ahead RBI, 3rd on Twins...recorded 3rd career PH 7/10, 1st since 8/20/14...missed 5 G w/ right hamstring tightness, $7 / 3-7 / 7 \ldots$...HR in 3 -straight G $6 / 27-6 / 30$, 10 th time in career....went 2 -for- $4 / 24$ in 1st start since $6 / 16$; marked 1st multi-hit game since 6/11...recorded 22nd multi-HR game 6/11.
Last faced TB in $2018 \mathrm{w} /$ CLE...career . 244 ( 57 -for-234), 10 2B, 15 HR, 29 RBI, 37 R, 3 HBP $39 \mathrm{BB}, .359$ OBP in 66 games vs. TB...this includes .500 ( 10 -for-20), $2 \mathrm{~B}, 4 \mathrm{HR}, 7 \mathrm{RBI}, 5 \mathrm{R}$ 1.750 OPS in last 6 games vs. TB at home...batting . 250 ( 8 -for-32), 2 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 5 R, 5 BB in 9 games vs. AL East this season.
Enters tonight 6th in MLB (min. 200 BBE ) in barrels/PA (11.0) and 9th in barrels/BBE (16.9)

## MITCH EARVER

Height: 6-1 Weight: $220 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 30 (1/15/91 in Albuquerque, NM) $\begin{array}{lll}\begin{array}{l}\text { 2021 Average: } .222 \\ \text { Homestand: } \\ 1-3\end{array} & \text { Streak: } 1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-3 & \begin{array}{l}\text { Series vs CWS:1-3 } \\ \text { Home Runs: } \\ 13\end{array} \text { (8 1-run, } 12 \text {-run, } 3 \text { 3-run, } 1 \mathrm{GS} \text { ) }\end{array}$
ब Was 1-for-3, BB Tuesday night; 21st G w/ 2+ TOB this season...went 2-for-5, 3-R HR 8/3 at CIN; 5 of 13 HR this season have come w/ ROB....batting . 217 (10-for-46), 7 R, 2 2B, $\mathrm{HR}, 11 \mathrm{RBI}, 4 \mathrm{BB}, .895$ OPS in 13 games since return from IL on 7/19...hit 1st career grand slam in 1st inn. 7/27...went 2 -for- 3,2 2B, BB, HBP 7/26 vs. DET; 6th career game w/ 22 \& 18th career game w/ multiple XBH....on Paternity List 7/22-7/25; he and his wife, Sarah went 2-for-3 2 HR 2 RBl in 22 on $7 / 19$. 7th career multi-HR game \& 2nd this son ( went 2 -for-3, 2 RR, 2 RBI in G2 on 7/19; 7th career multi-HR game \& 2nd this season (also $4 / 28$ at CLE)...missed 39 games w/ groin contusion sustained $6 / 1$ at BAL (placed on IL $6 / 2$ ). have come in his last 3 games, from $6 / 2-6 / 27 / 19$
क Had career-long 8-G hitting streak 5/17-5/29, batting . 391 (9-for-23) w/ 5 2B, 2 HR, 4 RBI.
 Streak: 0-7 Series vs CWS: $0-6$
Home Runs: $\quad 9(4)$
Went 0 for- 3 Wednesday went 2 -for 3 PBI BB $8 / 4$ at CIN had HR in $\mathrm{b} 2 \mathrm{~b} G$ for 2 career 7/28-7/31 (also 9/11-9/13/20) , 7 7/28vs. DET set career highs w/2 HR \& 6 RB thit firs career grand slam in 4th inn marked 3rd career G w/ 2 XBH (also $6 / 2$ at BAL. $7 / 23$ vs. LAA)...has 10 RBI in last 7 G and is batting .300 ( 12 -for-40), 3 2B, 3 HR, 11 RBI, .949 OPS in last 14 games With Mitch Garver, marks 1st time in MIN history that 2 different catchers each hit a grand slam in same season...had XBH in career-high 3-straight G 6/13-16...has never faced TB. batting .300 ( 6 -for-20), 2B, 3B, HR, 4 RBI, 4 R in 6 career games vs. AL East.

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 2021 Average: .204 Streak: 0-12 Series vs CWS: $0-10$Home Runs: 14 (10 1-run, 2 2-run, 23 -run)
क Went 0 -for-3, BB Wednesday...was 3 -for-6, $\mathrm{R} 8 / 8$, tying season high w/ 3 H (also, $4 / 1$ at MILL)... had SF in 10 th $8 / 6 \& 1$ st multi-RBI G since $7 / 11$ vs. DET...hit walk-off 1 B in 10th $7 / 26$ vs. DET; 9th career WO PA, T-4th in MIN history....hit 11th career leadoff HR (2nd in '21) 7/25...7/20-

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seasons...had XBH in 3-straight G from 7/4-7/6...had 10th career multi-HR G on 7/5, 1st since
 2B, missed 17 G RBI, $15 \mathrm{BB}, 3 \mathrm{SB}, .276$ 0BP and . 677 OPS in 44 G since return from IL on of 60 hits this season have been XBH (13 2B, 3 3B, 14 HR )
$\Phi$ Career 15 -for- 98 (.153), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 10$ RBI, $8 \mathrm{R}, 11 \mathrm{BB}$ in 26 games vs. TB...is just 2-for-20,

## TREVOR LARNACH - II

## Height: 6-4 Weight: 223 <br> 

Height: 6-4 B/T: L/R Age: 24 (2/26/1997 in Walnut Creek, CA Homestand: $1-4$ Home Ruis .
$\Phi$ Was 1-for-2, BB Wednesday...plunked 8x, T-3rd most among all MLB rookies \& T-1st in MIN history within a player's 1st 77 G (also, P. Ratliff)...went 2-for-4, RBI, BB 8/8, tying caree high w/ 3 TOB ( 6 th time)...on base 2+X in 32 of 77 career $\mathrm{G}(41.6 \%)$...went 1-for-3, RBI, BB . $400+$ feet....had 3-straight multi-hit G, 7/2-4...tied career high w/ 3 H on 6/20...has 3 of MIN's 11 PH this season...batting . 346 (9-for-26), 2 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 3 R in 8 career G vs. AL East Hit a 461-foot homer on 5/24, going 2-for-4 w/ R, HR \& 2 RBI in first career game vs. BAL...is 2nd-Iongest HR by a Twin this season (Statcast), 17th longest in Target Field history by any

## JORGE POLANCD - IF

Height: 5-11 Weight: 208 B/T: S/R Age: 28 (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macoris, DR 2021 Average: .274 Streak: $2 \mathrm{~g}, 3-5, \mathrm{HR}, 3 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs CWS: 3-8, HR, 3B

2-tor-4, 3B, solo HR Wednesday; 3rd career Gw/HR \& 3B...0n 8/8, had 3rd career multiHR G \& 2nd this season ( $6 / 9 \mathrm{vs}$. NYY)...batting . 345 (21-for-62), 3 2B, 3 B, 7 HR, 13 RBI in last 15 G ...from 8/1-8/4, HR-ed in 3-straight G for 2nd time in career, behind only career-high 4-G run 8/21-8/23/17...had XBH in 4-straight G 7/31-8/4, tying career-best (4th time)...leads MIN w/ 32 multi-hit G \& 9 G w/ 3+ H.
$\Phi$ Batting . 317 (45-for-142) since 7/1; ranks 4th in AL and 12th in MLB in AVG in that span (min. 115 AB ); also 2nd in AL and T-3rd in MLB w/ 11 HR in that span...hit walk-off, 3-R HR on $7 / 11 \mathrm{vs}$. DET; went 3 -for- $6 \mathrm{w} / 3-\mathrm{R} \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI 1 B and set new career high w/ 5 RBl.
Hitting

## RUB REFSTYIER - IF <br> Height: 6-0 Weight: $205 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 30 (3/26/1991 in Seoul, South Korea) 2021 Average: 309 Homestand: $0-4$ Streak: 0-7 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CWS: } & 0-4 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 2(21 \text {-run) }\end{array}$

क Def. replacement in LF Wednesday...was 1-for-4, R 8/6 at HOU....went 2-for-3, 2B, 2 R, 2 BB 8/5 at HOU in 1 st MLB game since $6 / 13$; tied career high w/ 4 TOB (also, $5 / 17 / 21$ and $9 / 30 / 15$ ). Returned from rehab, reinstated from 10-day Injured List 8/5; missed 43 games w/ left hamstring strain...batted .389 (14-for-36), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{HR}, 9 \mathrm{RB}, 8 \mathrm{R}, 6 \mathrm{BB}, .4650 \mathrm{BP}, 1.187$ oPS $\Phi$ Hit . 167 ( 14 -for- 84 ), 3 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 18 BB in 40 G for TB in $2018 \ldots$...career 294 ( 5 -for-17), R, 2B, RBI, BB in 9 games vs. former team
$\Phi$ He is the 2nd South Korean-born player in Twins/Senators history, alongside ByungHo Park.

| BRENT RODKER - DF |  |  | \#50 |  |
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| Height: 6-3 | Weight: 225 | B/T: R/R | Age: 26 (11/1/94 in C | ermantown, TN) |
| 2021 Average: 157 Homestand: 0-11 | Streak: 0-19 |  | Series vs CWS: Home Runs: | $\begin{aligned} & 0-11 \\ & 4 \text { (4 1-run) } \end{aligned}$ |

© Was 0-for-4 Wednesday....went 2-for-4, HR 7/28; from 7/27-7/28, had multiple H in b2b G for st time....hit 460-foot HR 7/26, 3rd-longest by a MIN hitter this season...HR-ed in b2b G for (b2b W/Kepl).... the tim of most recent recall, was T-1st in AAA in HR, T-5th among MiLB hitters.

- Facing a team from the AL East for the first time this series
$\Phi$ Career . 260 (13-for-50) hitter w/ 4 2B, 3 HR, 6 RBI, .943 OPS in 14 G at Target Field, compared to . 127 ( 9 -for-71) in 18 road G...currently ranked as the No. 12 prospect in Twins system per MLB.com $\Phi$ Missed 9 G on 10-day IL w/ cervical strain (4/7-4/20)...2nd stint w/ MIN this season (4/3-4/29).


## MIGUEL SANI - I <br> Height: 6-4 Weight: $272 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 28 (5/11/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR) 2021 Average: 209 Homestand: $1-7$, HR, 2 RBI Streak: $0-4$, RBI Series vs CWS: $1-7$, HR, 2 RBI

$\Phi$ Went 0-for-2, BB...hit 150th career HR 8/9, 2nd-fastest to 150 HR in MIN history; also HR-ed in b2b G for 24th time in career...batting . 273 (15-for-55) w/ 4 2B, 4 HR, 11 RBI, 12 BB, . 403 OBP, . 967 OPS in last 15 G...was 3-for-4, 2 HR, 4 RBI, BB 7/28; 11th career multi-HR G, tied W/ Cruz/Brunansky for 8th in MIN history...2nd HR traveled 473 ft., 4th longest by MIN hitter in Statcast Era (2015-)...stole 3B in 4th inn. 7/22, 3rd career SB (1st since 5/14/16) \& 1st of 3B....has 2 on-base streaks of 10 G this season, 6/3-6/13 and 7/26-8/6.
Hit 2nd career walk-off HR in 12th 6/21 (3rd career WO PA)...has 150 career HR, 11 th place on Twins' all-time list (1961-present) - next up is T. Brunansky w/ 163 in 10th.
Career . 250 (17-for-68), 4 2B, 4 HR, 13 RBI, 3 BB in 18 games vs. TB...career . 240 ( 87 -for

## ANDRELTON SIMMONS - 55

$\begin{array}{llll}\text { Height: 6-2 } & \text { Weight: } 195 \quad \text { B/T: R/R Age: } 31 \text { (9/4/89 in Mundo Noho, Guraçao) }\end{array}$ 2021 Average: 218

Streak: 0-2 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Series vs CWS: } & 2-7 \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 3 \text { (32-run) }\end{array}$
$\Phi$ Went 0-for-2, BB Wednesday...has 14 multi-hit games this season...1st career RBI bunt 1B $8 / 5$ at HOU; had 6th multi-RBI game...went 1-for-4, R, SB 7/21 at CWS; 1st SB of season \& 1st since $9 / 9 / 2020 \ldots$..on $7 / 6$, recorded 8 th career game w/ 2 errors, 1st this season...had 1st career RBI sac bunt on 7/5...has 197 career 2B, 3 away from 200....on 6/27, hit 1st HR since $5 / 16$ VS. OAK ( 115 PA b/w)...on defense, his 13 outs above average (Statcast) are 5 th in MLB behin $\Phi$ Batting .344 ( 31 -for-90), 9 2B, 3B, 14 RBI, 11 R, 6 BB, 378 0BP, 844 OPS in 26 career game



| LONGEST HOME RUNS | HIEHEST EXIT VELOCITY |
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| Sanó...... $473 \mathrm{ft}, 7 / 28$ vs. DET (Jiménez) | Sanó................. 117.1, 7/31 at STL (1B) |
| Larnach ... $461 \mathrm{ft}, 5 / 24$ vs. BAL (Means) | Sanó ............... 116.7, 8/9 vs. CWS (HR) |
| Rooker ... $460 \mathrm{ft}, 7 / 26$ vs. DET (Manning) | Cruz..................116.6, 4/5 at DET (HR) |
| Cruz... 457 ft 6/10 vs. NYY (Chapman) | Cruz................116.5, $6 / 21$ vs. CIN (HR) |
| Buxton ...... 456 ft , $4 / 1$ at MIL (Yardley) | Sanó...............116.4, 7/23 vs. LAA (2B) |
| Cruz......... 453 ft , 6/30 at CWS (Cease) | Larnach ..............116.0, $7 / 3$ at KC (HR) |
| Buxton ...... $451 \mathrm{ft}, 4 / 6$ at DET (Cisnero) | Larnach ..........116.0, $5 / 17$ vs. CWS (2B) |



| STARTS EY POSITION |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | C | 1B | 2B | SS | 3B | LF | CF | RF | DH |
| Luis Arraez | 0 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 24 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Willians Astudillo | 4 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Byron Buxton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 0 |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 5 | 0 |
| Gilberto Celestino | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson Cruz | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 80 |
| Josh Donaldson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Kyle Garlick | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 13 | 0 |
| Mitch Garver | 42 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nick Gordon | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan Jeffers | 48 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 54 | 4 |
| Alex Kirilloff | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 111 | 0 | 19 | 0 |
| Trevor Larnach | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 17 | 0 |
| Jorge Polanco | 0 | 0 | 80 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Rob Refsnyder | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 1 | 0 |
| JT Riddle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brent Rooker | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 5 | 7 |
| Ben Rortvedt | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Miguel Sanó | 0 | 75 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Andrelton Simmons | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |



## LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

HITTING:
Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, $4 / 5 / 19$ at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: R. Jeffers, 7/28/21 vs. DET (4 as a team in 2021)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 55 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (2 as a team in 2019)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)
Five-Hit Game: B. Buxton, $4 / 27 / 21$ at CLE (I'in 2021)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, $5 / 23 / 91$ vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning. M Sano 4 h
Two Hits, One Inning: M. Sanó, 4th inning, $7 / 28 / 21$ vs. DET ( 2 as a team in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: J. Polanco, $8 / 8 / 21$ at HOU (13 as team in 2021)
Three-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, $5 / 18 / 21$ vs. CWS ( 1 as a team in 2021, 13 all-time)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, $7 / 28 / 21$ vs. DET ( 4 as team in 2021)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET (4 as team in 2021)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/F. Rosario/C. Cron 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019)
Three Home Runs, One Inning: C. Cron/J. Polanco/N. Cruz (2nd), 8/3/19. vs. KC (5 in 2019) Four Home Runs, One Inning: M. Sanó/ R. Jeffers/M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET Walk-Off Home Run: J. Polanco, 7/11/21 vs. DET ( 3 as a team in 2021)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL (10 all-time) Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL (10 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: M. Kepler, $7 / 25 / 2021$ vs. LAA (4 as a team in 2021)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/25/21 vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: B. Buxton/J. Donaldson/N. Cruz, 4/28/21 at CLE Last Pitcher to
catcher pitching in relief, $9 / 3 / 18$ at TEX

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):
No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)
One-fitter: E. Santana, 4/24/17 at BAL (13 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: B. Radke ( 10.0 innings), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
$10+$ Innings Pitched: B. Radke ( 10.0 inningS), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
$10+$ Strikeouts: 10 G. Jax $8 / 10 / 21$ vs. CWS (5 as team in 2021 )
Co+ Strikeouts: 10 , G. Jax, $8 /$ Berríos, $4 / 1 / 18$ at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6/19 \& 5/7/19 at TOR (2 games, 8-0 and 3-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961)

## MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: M. Sanó/A. Simmons/N. Gordon, 6/6/21 at KC - N. Lopez hitting (15 all-time) Position Player Pitching: W. Astudillo, 6/4/21 at KC (3 in 2021)
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: C. Thomas, $8 / 3 / 13$ vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, $9 / 27 / 97$ at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, $5 / 6 / 15$ vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

## AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING:
Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: E. Haase, 7/27/21 vs. DET ( 6 allowed as team in 2021)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE
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Five-Hit Game: D. Gregorius, $7 / 23 / 19$ vs. NYY
Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, $5 / 28 / 13$ at MIL ( 3 allowed all-time)
Two Hits, One Inning: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, 6/4/21 at KC (2 allowed in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: Y. Grandal, 6/30/21 at CWS (8 allowed in 2021)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: A. Engel/J. Abreu, 8/10/21 vs. CWS (8 allowed in 2021)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, $6 / 11 / 02$ vs. ATL
Three Home Runs, One Inning: N. Lopez/J. Soler/S. Perez, 8/8/20 at KC (2 in 2020)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: S. Smith/M. Machado, $7 / 7 / 17$ vs. BAL (1 in '17)
Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, $7 / 1 / 18$ at CHC
PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):
No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)
Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, $5 / 29 / 05$ at TOR (49 all-time
Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 10 Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), $10 / 1 / 95$ at CHW
10+ Strikeouts: 13, P. Sandoval, 7/24/21 vs. LAA (3 times in 2021)
Complete Game Shutout: S. Manaea, 4/20/21 (G1) at OAK (1 time in 2021)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/20/21 Game $1 \& 4 / 20 / 21$ Game 2 at OAK (2 games, 7-0 and 1-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

## MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, $8 / 21 / 12$ at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time) Position Player Pitching: H. Castro, 4/5/21 at DET (1 in 2021)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: R. Davis, 8/1/18 vs. CLE
Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL

| 民DEl TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS |  |  |
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| DATE | DELAYED/PPD | NOTES |
| 4/8 vs. Seattle | Delayed | Home Opener delayed for 16 minutes in the 4th inning due to quick rain shower. Grounds crew pulled tarp quick after rain and both starters remained in game. |
| $5 / 5$ vs. Texas | Delayed | Scheduled 6:40 p.m. game delayed for 31 minutes due to rain in the area. Grounds crew began pulling tarp around 6:25 p.m. and game started at 7:11 p.m. |
| $5 / 24$ vs. Baltimore | Delayed | Game was stopped at 9:05 p.m. in the top of the seventh inning due to rain; play resumed at 9:50 p.m. after a 45 -minute delay. |
| 6/9 vs. New York-AL | Delayed | A pregame deluge (followed by a rainbow that spanned the entire ballpark) pushed a scheduled 7:10 p.m. first pitch back to 7:21 p.m., for an 11-minute delay. |
| $6 / 26$ vs. Cleveland | Postponed | Scheduled 1:10 p.m. game postponed due to inclement weather in the area. Game was rescheduled to be part of a split doubleheader on September 14. |

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